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Richard Golasky et al.

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Le, Dieu-Minh T.

Title:

METHOD, SOFTWARE AND SYSTEM

FOR MULTI-PATH FAIL-OVER

RECOVERY IN SEQUENTIAL STORAGE

SYSTEMS

MAIL STOP - AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed July 7, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

Although the claims have not been amended, a **Listing of Claims** for the Examiner's convenience begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.